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PROHIBITION.

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WANTED—By a young man, a situation in a wholesale or retail store or warehouse, or any position of Trust. The best of references from late employers, also from present employer. Address W., TIMES office. aug9 6t

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FOR SALE—A seven roomed House and two Lots with Outbuildings and Garden, on the corner of Pembroke and Blanchard. For particulars apply on premises. july16 1m

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisguard streets.
mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF Secretary.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

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Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Wednesday, the 17th inst., for

GRADING AND GRAVELLING OSWEGO STREET.

Plans and Specifications of the work can be seen daily at the City Clerk's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, City Clerk.
August 6, 1887. aug6 td

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Wednesday, 4 p. m., 16th inst., for the erection of a two-storey Frame Dwelling House on Simcoe street. Plans and specifications can be seen at his office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
aug11 td Architect.

FOR SALE.
TWO FILLIES

One rising two years and the other rising three, from the best stock on the Island.
Apply to WM. FORREST,
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One wine gallon contains 89½ grains solid mineral matter.

These Springs which are similar by analysis to the famous Baden Baden Springs of Germany are recommended by the medical profession for the cure of Dropsy, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Sciatica, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum and Eczema, Mercurial poisoning, venereal diseases, Dypsomania. Infallible in all nervous complaints, Malaria, Fever and Ague. Ladies will derive much benefit from these waters in all cases while they are excellent for the complexion.

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These mineral waters can be obtained by the gallon by applying to express agent at Agassiz Station, C. P. R.

Reduced fares to the Springs can be obtained on application at the railway and steamboat offices. ap1-m-t-W

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LADNER'S LANDING, &c.

THE STEAMER "RAINBOW"
Will sail from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf for New Westminster,
Tuesday & Friday Mornings,
At 7 o'clock, Victoria time.
FOR VANCOUVER,
Sunday Morning, at 7 o'clock.
For particulars, apply to
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ROCCABELLA,
VICTORIA, B. C.
Private Boarding House.
Comfortable Home for Permanent Boarders
—OR—
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A CONSIGNMENT OF FINE AMERICAN
Buggies and Phætons,
By the Celebrated Makers,
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For Sale at Reasonable Prices.
G. BYRNES,
au2 tf Fort and Langley Streets.

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NOTICE.

MEMBERS who wish to join in the proposed Basket Picnic to Colwood on the 19th inst. will please apply to the undersigned for tickets. Gentlemen, $1; Ladies and Children, 25c.

Conveyances for members and families will leave the Hall at 10 o'clock a. m. on the day named. J. J. AUSTIN, Secretary.
Bastion street, Victoria, Aug. 6. aug6 td

St. Louis College,
Corner Vancouver & Pandora Sts.
WILL RE-OPEN ON
TUESDAY, AUGUST 16th,
AT NINE A. M.
For terms, etc., apply to
aug10 2w REV. J. A. VAN NEVEL, Principal

Grateful Thanks.

MY SINCEREST THANKS are due and are hereby tendered to the Officers and Members of the Fire Brigade and citizens who worked so hard and industriously in removing my stock to a place of safety.
KATE WHITLAW.

P. S.—For the present I will be found in the store lately occupied by Misses Bengan and Madigan, next door to the Japanese Bazaar, Government street, where I shall be pleased to see all my old customers as well as new friends.
au5 K. W.

REMOVAL.

S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,
Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms 7, 8 and 9 Hamley Building. jal3

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SILVER DOLLARS
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WILL TAKE
ANY KIND OF DOLLARS
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We are offering Bargains in Dry Goods and Men's Furnishing Goods which make
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ARGYLE HOUSE,
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All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.
july25 1m D & W

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TOURISTS AND VISITORS
As well as that of the general public, is directed to the
VICTORIA
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LIVERY and
HACK RATES.

This Company have the Largest and Finest Stables and the Best Stock of Horses and Vehicles in the City.

A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.

☞ Hacks supplied any hour of the day or night at reasonable and uniform rates.
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All Kinds of Paper Boxes to Order.
C. H. BOEDE,
Johnson Street, near Broad. au1

THE McGEE MURDER.

Mr. John O'Farrell, of Quebec, Answers the Alleged Libel Against Him.

Facts Relating to the Atrocious Murder Coming to Light.

A few days since a short extract appeared in THE TIMES from an eastern contemporary purporting to be a death bed confession of the actual culprit in the Thos. D'Arcy McGee murder in Ottawa in the spring of 1868, on his return to his boarding house from a late session of the Commons. In that confession appeared a pointed insinuation connecting the name of Mr. John O'Farrell, a leading Quebec barrister with the murder. That gentleman, in a lengthy letter to the Quebec *Chronicle apropos* the charge thus writes: I shall not, for any consideration, forego the present opportunity of proving, in the clearest manner and by irrefutable evidence, that I had no part whatever in that atrocious murder. I shall produce for that purpose, before the petty jury who shall be called upon to judge the Messrs. Demers upon the charge of libel brought by me against them, the very same witnesses as were examined before Police Magistrate O'Gara when a futile attempt was made to connect me with the tragedy. The facts, as sworn to by me in my deposition against the brothers Demers, are to be found in my deposition. Over and above such sworn facts I add some interesting particulars of events that occurred previously to that sad event. The seats of the thirteen Liberals elected to the first house of Commons of Canada were contested. I was retained to

RESIST THOSE CONTESTATIONS.

I had filed with the late Mr. Cockburn, then Speaker of that House of Commons, preliminary objections. By consent, the argument on these preliminary objections was postponed for some weeks, I do not now remember how many. While I was so engaged in defending my political friends on those contestations, I had the honor of being invited by that Speaker to one of his Saturday-dinners. There I met Mr. McGee and some other persons, whose names I cannot now with certainty recall. During the whole of that session, Mr. McGee and I were on the best of terms, and in a *tete a tete* conversation, which he and I had after that dinner, he expressed to me his regret that he had not followed the advice of a meeting of his countrymen, held in the residence of the late Wm. Quinn, of this city, namely, that he should endeavor to conciliate the various factions of our countrymen, and to become our leader, and to exact from the rulers of this Dominion justice for us. That dinner, as nearly as I can remember, took place on the Saturday immediately preceding the assassination of Mr. McGee. Owing to that adjournment of the hearing of my election cases, I made my

PREPARATIONS TO LEAVE FOR HOME

by the next morning's train of the Ottawa & Prescott Railway. Having about 11 p. m., of the night preceding my departure for home, heard of the death of a very dear friend of mine, the late John Conroy, of Aylmer, lumber merchant, I resolved that very night to drive over to Aylmer to condole with the bereaved family. I had very many friends at that time in Aylmer. I arrived in Aylmer about 2 o'clock a. m., put up my horses at Moses Holt's hotel and called on the bereaved family of my late friend and condoled with the members of it on their great loss. After some time spent in Conroy's house I returned to Holt's, had my breakfast, started for Ottawa, arrived there in time for the down train and did not learn anything of that sad event until I had reached Prescott. I need not state how shocked I felt, not only at his untimely death, but at the last hope of his leadership of our people. The first investigation held was dropping into the tracks of a well known then friend and pet of John A. Macdonald. Suddenly the search in that direction was dropped for one in my direction. An investigation was held, which clearly exonerated me from all suspicion of having had any share in that odious crime. If, at the pressing invitation of my friends, I undertook to see that Whelan should receive fair play, which he did not get on account of the rejection by Chief Justice Richards of the challenge for cause of Jonathan Sparks, it was because I then believed, and still believe, that Whelan did not shoot Mr. McGee. The murderer was at first sought to be traced to one, who, for his own life's sake, had a great interest to get rid of McGee. As I said before, that enquiry was stopped.

At the Springs.

Amongst those registering at St. Aelice Hotel, Harrison Springs, during the last few days, are: W. H. Forest, Vancouver; A. McNaughton, New Westminster; D. McMenns and J. L. Hosmore, Moodyville; J Ogden Graham and wife, Kamloops; E. E. Corbould and son, F Oakes, Miss Dickenson and Mrs. McCall, Westminster; Col. E. S. Bridges, C. E. Hellesley, England; C. Phair wife and family Lillooet; F. Colbeck, Farneycombe; J. McMurphy, Geo. Fernball, Westminster; Chas. Ligman, Victoria; L Gilroy, California; P. McFernand and wife; Miss W. Lehe, Westminster; Rev. R. B. Hemlaw, Maple Ridge; F. E. Elwood, Port Blakely, W. T.; Thos. Owens, Mrs. R. B. Louis and Donald Chisholm, M. P., Westminster; R. H. Thompson. Those intending to visit the Springs will no doubt be pleased to learn that the much dreaded mosquitoes have now disappeared. The weather is simply glorious.

In Brief and to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember! No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

Maple Syrup

Direct from the grove of Frelligsburg; the first of the season, NEUFELDER & ROSS.

THE QUEEN'S HIGHWAY.

Mr. Stuart Cumberland's Book—The Mind Reader as an Author.

Mr. Stuart Cumberland, who is well known in Victoria, has written a book of 430 pages, descriptive of the "Queen's Highway" between Vancouver and Halifax. It is written throughout in a pleasant, gossippy strain, and anecdote and incident abound in every chapter. Mr. Cumberland began his tour at the Pacific terminus, having journeyed hither from Sydney in June of last year. He claims that he was "the first person to go over the line of rail between the Pacific and the Atlantic in a journalistic sense, having been commissioned by a syndicate of Australian, Indian and English newspapers to give a description of the country through which runs this new Queen's Highway." He was charmed with the climate of Vancouver Island. "There is," he tells us, "a certain balminess about the air which at once creates contentment, and one speedily arrives at the laudable condition of being at peace with all mankind." Hence he speaks with the zeal of a native of the beauties of the island and the Queen Charlotte group, and deals tenderly even with the shortcomings of the aborigines. With the general prospects of Victoria and Nanaimo (*Nanimo* throughout the work) he was also much pleased; while on the mainland the pluck of the people of Vancouver, in the midst of the desolation of last year's fire, filled him with admiration. But to Port Moody he can hardly say a single good word. It is "a mere village of amphibious proclivities," a "weakling, incapable of a healthy present or a promising future," not to be spoken of in the same breath as the rising terminal city of Vancouver; indeed, the sooner it passes out of existence, the better will Mr. Cumberland be pleased. But Esquimalt seems to have produced the greatest impression upon Mr. Cumberland's mind. With such a position on the Pacific, and with Halifax on the Atlantic, and a British connecting line of railway, England occupies, he thinks, a position undreamt of by the wildest enthusiasts a few years back. Heartily, therefore, does he applaud the determination to make Esquimalt a naval station of the first class, and indicates with force how vitally important is the establishment there of a British arsenal of real power, to enable a check to be imposed upon any aggressive action on the part of Russia in the Pacific. With the scenery in the mountains Mr. Cumberland was highly delighted. "The Northern Pacific," he enthusiastically exclaims, "has in its Yosemite Valley a show-place to be proud of; but British Columbia contains a series of Yosemite Valleys, each one presenting additional charms."

Journeying across the open prairie to Winnipeg, and thence on excursions to the north and south, afforded Mr. Cumberland ample material for several interesting and valuable chapters. Of Winnipeg, "the halfway house," as he terms it, he has confident hopes, and even expects when next he visits it to find its station crowded with notices of the departures of the Atlantic and Pacific expresses, and also the Asiatic and Australasian mails. The rest of the book deals with the better-known ground in Eastern Canada and the Maritime Provinces.

HUDSON BAY.

Report of Capt. Gordon, R. N., of the Exploratory Party.

The report of the Hudson Bay exploratory expedition sent out last year under the command of Lieut. A. B. Gordon, R. N., has just been issued, and will prove a valuable addition to the literature respecting the navigability of the Straits as well as the great lone sea. The report contains a narrative account of the trip, and deals with the ice and meteorological observations, as well as the resources of the region. Capt. Gordon calls attention to the monopoly the Americans enjoy in whaling in Hudson bay, and says the fisheries are very valuable. The commander has a good word to say for the Esquimaux. He says the number in that region does not exceed 1,500. He says they believe in a future state, and in the Good Spirit. Capt. Gordon says since Canada's future rights in Hudson bay are unquestioned, he recommends a close season of five years, to prevent the extinction of the whale. He is of opinion that the straits, to especially constructed vessels up to 2000 tons, are not navigable before the 1st of July, and estimates that the season of navigation terminates about the first week of October. Tidal currents add considerably to the risks of navigation. The last, and indeed the most serious difficulty he anticipates is in the faulty working of the compasses off Digges Island. He is rather of the opinion that in an iron ship making the voyage between, say Liverpool and Hudson's Bay, on the arrival off the western end of the straits the compass will not work owing to magnetic disturbances. Altogether, he considers the navigation of Hudson's straits as being more than ordinarily difficult. Safety in thick weather lies in the constant use of the lead and keeping a bright look out, as dead reckoning is frequently in error to a considerable extent. He recommends that it is desirable that a Government vessel should annually visit the region to regulate the fisheries. He also urges the collection of revenue from American traders competing with the Hudson Bay Company.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

A. W. Lawson and M. Kennedy, bail $5 estreated.

The charge of drunkenness against Wm. Courate was withdrawn.

Annis, an Indian, on a charge of drunkenness was dismissed.

Gus Barry, charged with assaulting A. J. Briggs, a special constable in the discharge of his duties, was fined $20; ordered to be paid forthwith, or one month in jail.

Geo. Beckingham, for driving faster than the law provides for, was fined $5.

The hearing of the case of Kelly and Nelson was further remanded for one day.

Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness and Hay Fever.

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and eustachian tubes. Microscopic research, however, has proved this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple remedy has been formulated whereby catarrh, catarrhal deafness and hay fever are cured in from one to three simple applications made at home. A pamphlet explaining this new treatment is sent free on receipt of stamp, by A. H. Dixon & Son, 303 King street West, Toronto, Canada.—*Christian Standard.*

THE FISHERY QUESTION

The First Gun Fired—A Schooner Knocked Out.

Imperial Government Refuses to Subsidize Pacific Cable.

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.—A sensational statement was made here last night by a gentleman who arrived from Buctouche, a small village on the Gulf of St. Lawrence shore, New Brunswick. He states that one night, about eight days ago, while stopping at a house in the village, himself and wife were awakened by two loud reports. They heard nothing further, and concluding that the noise was two peals of thunder, went to sleep again. In the morning they were told they had heard the reports of two cannon shots, which were fired from a cruiser in pursuit of an American fishing schooner. The second shot struck one of the schooner's masts which fell with the sails and turned the schooner completely over on her side, when she filled and sank immediately. Every man on board went down. The lives lost number twelve or fifteen. The affair, he said, was witnessed by a couple of Buctouche fishermen who were off the shore in a row boat, and who carried the news home. After [illegible] the terrible results of her [illegible] cruiser put to sea and was soon [illegible] the darkness. The gentleman [illegible] effort is being made to keep it [illegible]

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Proposition for Joint Imperial and Colonial Construction.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The Minister of Railways at Ottawa received a cable from London yesterday which says the Pacific cable questions stand as follows: Fleming proposed that the Imperial and Colonial Governments should subsidize the new cable from Vancouver. The Imperial Government intimated that they could not by a subsidy become parties to the concern, which must compete with existing independent concerns. The Australian Government thereupon declared they could not subsidize the cable unless the Imperial Government co-operated. There is a suggestion now before the Australian and Imperial Governments for joint government purchase of the eastern telegraph and other systems, and joint construction of the Pacific cable, thus creating a system of government cables throughout the empire. It is calculated that the annual payment of £50,000, made up of contributions from each colony interested, would suffice.

In this connection it may be stated that Sir Geo. Stephen, Sir Donald Smith and some friends, left last evening on an official visit to Winnipeg and British Columbia. These magnates of the Canadian Pacific Railway will spend some time in Winnipeg, and then make an inspection of the British Columbia section of the transcontinental line. The cable connection with Asia and the subject of a subsidy to the Canadian Pacific Railway steamship service from the British Government, are said in official circles here to be the principal cause of this official visit.

MURDERERS CAPTURED.

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.—The Comptroller of the Mounted Police has been notified of the capture of two half-breeds in Montana for the murder of settler McLeiss at Wolseley several months ago. Application for their extradition will be made at once.

ACTS DISALLOWED.

The *Canada Gazette* contains the announcement of the disallowance of the Manitoba Central, Winnipeg & Southern, and Emerson & Northwestern Railway Acts, passed at the last session of the local house.

VALUABLE STOCK.

QUEBEC, Aug. 15.—The steamer Quebec has a consignment of over 700 choice horses and mares for the Northwest; most of the latter are with foal.

BOY KILLED.

MAPLE CREEK, Aug. 15.—The careless handling of a gun this morning caused the death of a bright little boy, son of Jules Quesnelle.

THE TITHES BILL.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—A whip has been issued calling upon the Parnellite members to attend the House of Commons on Thursday next. Smith is expected to announce that the Tithes Bill has been abandoned.

THE BOAT RACE.

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—An immense crowd watched the Hanlan-Teemer race on Saturday. There was very little betting. Teemer shot to the front at the start, and amidst intense excitement, steadily forged ahead. He kept ahead, pulling a strong and steady stroke, and finally won by two lengths; time, 19.26.

AMERICAN NEWS.

STEAMERS SEIZED.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Two Canadian steamers, the Hastings and Kathleen, were seized by the custom house officers at Charlotte yesterday. The seizure was made on the ground that neither boats had been inspected by the United States Inspector or Inspector General of steamboats, and the seizure was made under his direction.

A CHILD CANNIBAL.

MEXICO, Mo., Aug. 14.—Ann Brasteler, colored, left her two children, aged 5 years and ten months, in an 8x10 room, closely shut up yesterday, while she went to a neighbor's house to spend the day. At night, when the room was opened a horrible sight presented itself. The older child was almost suffocated and the younger was in the throes of death. A portion of the flesh on the breast and stomach had been eaten by the older child, who was almost starved. The mother is under arrest and the younger child will die.

CURIOUS ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Dispatch from South Woodberry, Vt., gives details of an attempted robbery in the railway station last Wednesday evening. Early in the evening the telegraph operator at the station read a message, "watch the box." This was duplicated many times, but he was unable to learn the sender. The express stopped at the station near midnight, and left a coffin which was marked "care station agent" and "to be called for." The box was placed in an express room near the safe in which quarry wages, amounting nearly to $50,000 had been placed during the day. About the same time, the operator's instrument ticked violently and repeatedly "watch box." The operator was puzzled to know what the warning meant, and fell off to sleep. He was wakened suddenly by hearing the instrument rattling furiously, "watch box," "watch box." He turned his gaze to where the coffin lay, and saw by the dim light of the station lamp, the lid rise. A powerfully built man, evidently a burglar, wearing a crape mask and carrying some tools, leaped out of the casket and approached the safe. The operators seized the burglar, and in the struggle the latter plunged a large knife at him. The operator thereupon shot the burglar in the shoulder. He fell to the ground and the operator ran for a physician. When he returned the burglar had escaped. The affair has created a sensation in South Woodberry.

STARTLING DISCOVERY.

A Woman With Dynamite Near the Queen's Residence.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—A London special this morning says: A great sensation has been created at Cowes, in the Isle of Wight, by the arrest of a French woman named Deyrsint, on a charge of having dynamite concealed in her baggage. It is reported three small cakes of the explosive were found. Under the explosive act passed at the time of the conviction of Gallagher and his associates it was made felony. Possessing dynamite under such circumstances and in proximity to Cowes, the Queen's residence at Osborne house, gives the discovery its most startling features.

CABLE NEWS.

RESPITED.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Lipski, who was to have been hanged to-day, has been granted a respite for one week.

CANADIAN CRICKETERS.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The Canadian cricket team played with Sankerville Chamberlain's Gloucester eleven, at Yatteaw to-day. The game resulted in a draw. The Canadians met Grace for the first time in England. In the first innings the visitors made 140 runs and in the second 284.

INTERIOR NEWS.

The Hay and Grain Crops—Mining Operations—Fatal Accident.

[From the Sentinel.]

After the 1st of September the mails will leave Kamloops for Okanagan, Priest Valley and Spallumcheen every Sunday morning, instead of every Wednesday as heretofore.

Sir John A. Macdonald, in answer to a letter from the Secretary of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society of Kamloops, says he will feel honored in being nominated as patron of the society.

During the past two or three weeks the farmers and ranchers in this and neighboring valleys have been busy haying, and the crop is reported to be very heavy and good generally. Below the town several of the ranchers have not yet commenced cutting owing to a variety of reasons, chief among which is wetness of soil owing to the recent overflow of the Thomson. The hay harvest of these ranches will be none the less heavy on that account; although their cutting, in some cases, will be late in the season. All the crops of the district are reported on favorably, and an unusually brisk fall business is expected in Kamloops.

There is some talk of booming a curling club at Kamloops.

There is a prospect of the bench lands, overlooking the town of Kamloops, being soon built upon. One dwelling house has been built there within the past two or three weeks.

Among the Kamloops improvements finished this week is the "new lunch counter" at the railway station under the management of Mrs. James Blair. This counter is 25 feet in length, finely finished, and stands within a large and elegant hall.

A sad and fatal accident occurred on the 4th inst., when a man named Michael Burden on Mr. Gore's government survey party, now at work on the Shuswap river, met with his death by a falling tree. Deceased was a widower, and for many years a citizen of Toronto. He leaves two little daughters to mourn his loss. His remains were brought to Priest Valley and interred in the cemetary.

The Hudson Bay Co.'s store, just completed at Priest Valley, will be opened in a few days. This gives three fine general stores.

Mr. Walker has started to build the Cherry creek wagon road.

There has been nothing struck at Priest Valley in quartz this season. The Hydraulic Company on Mission Creek, of which Tom Lambly is a member, have such confidence in their property that they intend putting in a monitor to work the bank. A good many have recorded creek claims on the same creek, about a mile below the company's claim. They are reported as getting $3 per day. The Cherry Mining Company have not yet struck anything, and are still pushing in the tunnel seeking for the old channel. A few Chinamen are working on the same creek, but what they are making is a mystery.

The farmers in Priest Valley are all very busy harvesting; and, as far as a person can judge by the standing grain, the crop will be over the average.

Mr. McEdwards, of the Victoria Hotel, Priest Valley, is putting up an addition for the accommodation of tourists.

A meeting has been called at Kamloops on the 20th for the purpose of forming an agricultural society.

Passengers.

For the North Pacific: S B Simes and wife, W P Boyd, J Lyraght, J Daragh, J R Daragh, E S Kellogg, M J Davis, J B Halter, T Glenn, J Boyd, Mrs Simes, L Hill, Miss Clark, Horsfield, H Brigham, J Fogle, W L Gazzin, Theodore, Miller, W Mitchell, Mrs Fleckenstein, H Stirling, J Trelon, wife and child, Mrs Holman and child, J McQeary, wife and child, Miss Guen, H Nelson, F P Christian, Anderson, Bactlet, Reid, and one Indian.

MARINE.

The Von Moltke left the Royal Roads on Sunday night for San Francisco. She was towed to sea by the Pilot.

The Mexico arrived off the harbor at 12:45 a. m. to-day. She was docked at 6 o'clock. She had a splendid passage; saw no vessels at sea.

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A MINISTERIAL MISREPRESENTER.

By a series of misrepresentations that have appeared in the last few issues of the *Colonist*, Victorians are at once aware, that the Saint of the "Elastic Conscience Company" is again at the bellows. This would-be-make-believe vendor of truth, takes to task, on behalf of his paymasters, "Elector," a writer in THE TIMES of Friday last, who had the temerity to suggest opposition to the newly appointed Minister of Finance at the coming election. One would think that the mellowing influence of old age would have toned down and softened the vituperative invectives which were once his pride. But neither affluence nor time seem to work any change for the better on this veteran pencil driver, as evinced by the polite name applied to "Elector" in connection with his remarks on the financial condition of the province. Whether "Elector's" conjectures are correct or otherwise, at present we do not care to enquire, but this we do know, that the editor of the *Colonist* does not place the true financial position of this province before the people. He was guilty of duplicity in stating that "On the 4th of July, 1887, the commencement of the present fiscal year, the government had to its credit at the Bank of British Columbia the handsome balance of $773,670". In the first place, the present fiscal year commenced on the 1st day of July, and not on the 4th. It is known why the financial standing was not given on the 1st of July, as the showing on that day is quite different, and would not suit the purpose of the government. The fiscal year ended on the 30th June last, and if the government were anxious to give to the public an approximate financial statement that would bear criticism during next session of the Legislature, why put it off to the 4th of July? They knew, as did their paid organ, that their claim of having $773,670 to the credit of the province in the bank is, to say the least of it, dishonestly misleading. No government should be trusted for a single day who attempts to give the electors a false impression of the country's standing, as has been done in this instance. What is thought of the managers of joint stock companies who lead the shareholders astray in like manner? When found out are they retained in position? Certainly not. When the House meets next winter it will be verified that the policy of the opposition was correct in regard to the amount of deficiency on 30th June last. During the discussion on the estimates for last fiscal year the then Finance Minister, braced up by his colleagues, maintained that the deficiency would not exceed $250,000, while the opposition, judging by the past record of the administration, held that it would be close upon, if not quite, $500,000. The figures given in the organ yesterday proves that the opposition were right. It is a well known fact to all those who take any interest in the management of our finances, that the books are kept open for three months after the end of the fiscal year, so that accounts Dr. and Cr. with outside offices and belonging to the fiscal year past may come to hand. It is equally true that large sums of money have to be paid out during the said three months on account of the former fiscal year. There is another very important item of receipts which is paid by the Dominion Government on the first day of July, or in a day or two afterward, which is included in the figures given in the *Colonist*, and amounts to over $100,000. This sum belongs to the receipts of this year, and is an advance to enable the Provincial Government to carry on for the next six months, a like sum being paid on the first of January in each year. On the subject of the provincial bank account, the *Colonist*, according to itself, has a decided advantage over THE TIMES, in the way of obtaining information, but we cannot see why THE TIMES should not avail itself of the privilege of examining the public accounts if they are open to the *Colonist*. We were not aware that any one had a right to inspect the books other than as ordered by the House. A minister may, for the purpose of correcting an error obtaining in the public mind, make certain financial statements, but it is undoubtedly something new for an outsider to go to a subordinate and demand to know the standing of the government at the bank. Perhaps the ambitious member for Esquimalt fancied himself installed in Hon. J. H. Turner's position. Our object in condemning the financial standing as given by the *Colonist* is to impress upon the people of this province how thoroughly unreliable that sheet is in placing before them the true position of governmental matters. We ask them again to carefully note the statement made in the *Colonist*, and to compare it with the "Public Accounts" when brought down to the House during next session. On the result of that comparison THE TIMES is prepared to rise or fall in public estimation.

AN INCREDIBLE YARN.

The dispatch from Ottawa in another column about one of the Canadian cruisers firing upon and sinking an American fishing schooner, off the New-Brunswick coast, reads very like a "big fish story." It would be an extraordinary thing if the news of the first gun having been fired was conveyed to the world by "a gentleman" who had arrived in Ottawa, which is about a thousand miles from the scene of the alleged engagement. While we discredit the story in its entirety, it must be confessed that in the present temper of the two countries, with half a dozen cruisers watching a fleet of thieving fishing vessels, it would not be surprising were an encounter to take place which might still further complicate the fishing dispute if indeed it did not embroil the two countries in war.

"HIGGINS'" UNTRUTHFULNESS.

Coun. HIGGINS, in the *Colonist* of yesterday, stated that "the Mayor has announced his intention of trampling on the wishes of the ratepayers and smashing the will of a majority of the Council". Coun. HIGGINS *never*, during the whole of his journalistic career, published a more untruthful statement than that quoted above. It is not fair to any one who may differ with another, nay more, it is not even gentlemanly, to attempt to place an opponent in a false position before the public, more particularly in matters of mutual concern. Coun. HIGGINS, cannot, neither can any other councillor, substantiate that Mayor FELL has, even indirectly, attempted to trample on the wishes of the ratepayers during or in connection with the water works question.

UNITED STATES' FINANCIAL OUTLOOK.

The American bankers appear to favor the lock-up in the Treasury. It is expected that by creating an artificial scarcity the rate of interest can be sent up to 6 per cent. between now and the meeting of Congress. Undoubtedly the tendency of the Treasury lock-up is to raise the rate of interest and burthen business unduly. Should the rate go up to 6 per cent., a plentiful supply of gold will come from Europe to reap the benefit; so that shipments of gold, generally looked upon as an evil merely because they give bankers some trouble, are profitable to the exporting nation, as Professor PRICE has pointed out. Some financial authorities are to be met with who are of the opinion that if a marked tendency to panic were to show itself as the result of the lock-up, the Secretary of the Treasury would be able to anticipate payment of interests on bonds, and to deposit money in the banks on the security of United States bonds, or it might even buy up the 4½ per cent. bonds. Some dwell on the lowness of the bank reserves, but the banks of New York contain a surplus over legal requirements only five millions less than it was a year ago. The break in the grain market will promote exportation and bring in money. The banks in the west and northwest have large deposits, and are better able to make advances for moving the crops than last year or the year before; but what support the west will require from the east is admitted to be uncertain. Mr. EDWARDS, president of the Bank of the State of New York, said to an interviewer: "The business of the country in general is good, and the only reason, in my opinion, for the present dull condition of affairs in Wall street is that the real estate transactions have absorbed the principal attention and capital of former large operators." The capital fixed in real estate cannot be got back; for if present holders sell, somebody else and some other capital must take their place. Should any great demand for money take place in the State, it would be felt in the Dominion whence capital would flow.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

It is understood that the writs for Charlevois and Dorchester counties vacant at present, will be issued immediately. The election will take place in the latter part of this month.

It is stated that Mr. Henry Merrick, ex-M. P. P., in the Ontario Legislature, of Merrickville, has been appointed Canadian Government Emigration agent at Belfast in succession to Mr. Charles Foy, who retires through ill health.

The Postmaster-General has received a proposition from a Montreal man to undertake the sale of postage stamps at 1 per cent., providing he is given the exclusive right for all the cities in the Dominion. It is not likely that the offer will be accepted.

H. M. Stanley, the African explorer whose death was recorded a few weeks since, has turned up all right, and we are forced to the conclusion that the story of his death was concocted by some editor who came across an old cut of the explorer and thought it a pity to have unused material lying around.

The gossips say that Mrs. Cleveland has a room at Oak View furnished in the style of her grandmother's old home. There is a rag carpet on the floor which was made after the same pattern as her grandmother's, big brass andirons stand in the fireplace, and a spinning-wheel graces a corner of the room.

The project of a tunnel under the English Channel has been voted down because of the facility it would afford France to cross over in case of war. To us it appears that the chances of crossing would be about equal, but to a man who has not given much attention to the study of scientific warfare it appears that an army in a tunnel would be somewhat at the mercy of whoever stood at the mouth of it.

Land Applications.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one thousand acres of arable land in the Kootenay District and described as follows.

Commencing at a post within thirty chains of Six Mile (or Jubilee) Creek; thence northeast four miles; thence northwest about half a mile; thence southwest four miles; thence southeast about half a mile to initial post.

J. G. NORRIS.
June 11th, 1887. Joseph's Prairie, Kootenay. july11 law 2m

LAND NOTICE.—The undersigned give notice that they have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1250 acres more or less on Thetis Island, Cowichan District, namely, starting from a post to the north-west of H. Severne's land on the shore, round the coast line eastwards to E. Cartwright's north-east corner post, thence due west to point of commencement.

H. SEVERNE.
A. R. JOHNSTON.
June 20th, 1887 jy2-law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the unoccupied and vacant land on the north end of Thetis Island, contiguous to the pre-emption claim of Charles Myers, containing 200 acres, more or less; also Tent Island, lying southeast of Kuper Island, containing thirty acres, more or less, Cowichan District.

GEO. THOMSON.
August 1, 1887. au4 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the land comprised in the group of Islands lying off Montague Harbor, Galiano Island, Cowichan District, viz.: the unoccupied portion of Parker Island, Twin Islands, Wise Island, Charles Island, Julia Island, Sphynx Island, Retreat Island off Retreat Cove; also the three Islands not named on chart, the whole comprising about 400 acres.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
July 30, 1887. au4 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections nine, ten, eleven and twelve on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 55, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia Lake, on a small Creek about 2½ miles South of Armstrong Creek: the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ½ mile to shore of lake, thence South ½ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.

WM. HARDIE.
Columbia Lakes, Kootenay B. C. April 30th 1887. my 27-law-2mo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections five, six, seven, fourteen and thirteen on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m.

NOTICE is hereby given that the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections one, two, three and four on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, two months after date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of pastoral lands, said lands being the Islands in Oyster Harbor, Nanaimo District.

ALFRED RAPER.
ELIJAH PRIEST.
Nanaimo, B. C., July 5, 1887. jul12 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections sixty, sixty-one, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five and sixty-six on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. jul14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Section west half forty-six, west half forty-seven, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, and fifty-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 430 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-seven, twenty-eight and twenty-nine on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.
Dated July 11, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-nine, forty-two, forty-three, east half of forty-six, southeast half of forty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six and ninety-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections eighty-four, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiry of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections seventy-one, seventy-two, north half of seventy-three, seventy-five, seventy-six and seventy-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july 14 law 2m

Land Applications.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the unoccupied land situate on the north end of Salt Spring Island and described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 2; thence following the meanderings of the shore line in a northerly and easterly direction to the northwest corner of E. J. Rosman's pre-emption claim, No. 165; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence in a southerly direction, following the western boundary of section 7, Range 1 north, to the northwest corner of Lot 3; thence in a northwesterly direction, following the northern boundary of Lot 4 for a distance of 46 chains, more or less; thence due north 59.70 chains; thence due west 47 95 chains to the point of commencement, containing 500 acres, more or less.

A. R. JOHNSTON.
August 1, 1887. aug9 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-six, fifty-seven and fifty-eight on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake,
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty-four and twenty-five on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-six and eighty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-four and south half of seventy-three on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated July 11, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty, forty-one, forty-four and forty-five on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

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LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

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R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july26

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Depositors are requested to present their Pass Books at the Office on Government Street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1887.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver-General.
Victoria, July 30, 1887. jul30 1m

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Sentimental and Comic Songs.

An interesting fact about successful songs may be noted, and that is, only sentimental songs make any money. Humorous songs become very popular. They are applauded in the theatre when a favorite singer sings them, and are laughed at unrestrainedly, but very few in the audience ever think of buying copies of them. This is peculiarly true of that description of humorous ditty known as the topical song. It may be explained that this is a song in which the material of the different verses is arranged to give point to a significant phrase which invariably forms the last line of the verse. The performance practically amounts to piggling with language, the effect coming from the humorous and unexpected illustration which can be adduced of the idea embodied in the adopted phrase.

Given on the stage by an expert singer, who enforces the points of the verses by appropriate action and facial expression, these songs are very effective. Sung in the parlor by an ordinary vocalist and without the effect which comes from the assembly of a large number of people, these songs almost invariably fall flat. In consequence they are very seldom sung there, and the music publishers who give them to the world find the world ungrateful, much to the publisher's pecuniary grief. On the other hand, a sentimental song may be sung in the home circle by an inexperienced singer with very fair effect. Somehow or other the underlying sentiment survives the most outrageous treatment. It has better staying qualities than humor has. The melodies are simple, the thoughts expressed find a welcome among all classes of people, and the sheet music finds its way to thousands of piano racks throughout the land; and so the publisher becomes happy and affluent.—New York Mail and Express.

Hygeia in the Dog Days.

While ruminating over a pipe on the evening of one of the dog days, the thermometer being above eighty degrees in the shade, I have wondered what the goddess Hygeia would have done, and what she would have recommended under the circumstances, for purposes of health and comfort. She wouldn't have eaten roast duck I know; but how would she have combated the fierce heat, by way of keeping herself cool? Would she have swallowed haggis and cockaleekie in north Britain, ham and beef in Yorkshire, and tripe and onions in London? Not a bit of it. Hygeia had too much respect for herself, as a goddess to indulge in such plebeian and delusive dainties in hot weather. I can just see her in a scornful attitude, on the top of a marble column such as Alma Tadema loves to paint—she waves her hand over the smoking viands our good cooks are sending up for our delectation. She preaches abstention in a way that makes one feel creepy, as her words seem to come down from the cold marble. She is commanding her followers to keep cool with milk and water, and grapes and strawberries, and to leave all the alcohol and wine and beer for other occasions. I beg Hygeia's pardon, and shall renounce heat producers on hot days in future, although they are very good, and like everything else, unfortunately what dyspeptics like best.—Chambers' Journal.

The Despot of the White House.

Hector, Mrs. Cleveland's handsome poodle, holds supreme sway at the White House during the absence of his master and mistress. The dog is master of the situation and is a confirmed despot. One of the colored attaches of the executive mansion was assigned to the duty of waiting on the dog before the president left the city, and the curly haired canine sees that his servant carries out the instructions given him. Hector is a very intelligent dog, and makes up for his inability to speak by expressive actions. He is very fond of a stroll around the grounds, and takes his body guard out for an airing two or three times a day. When he wishes to go out he picks up his collar with a tag on it and starts on an exploring trip all over the house for his attendant. On finding him he places the collar in the man's hand and holds his neck ready for the pleasant yoke. As soon as the collar is placed over his head the poodle knows that his command is to be obeyed, and his joy knows no bounds. The same attendant feeds the executive dog and finds him a hard master to please. Bread and butter and the choicest meats, with small cakes for dessert, are always demanded, and, as his high connections insure compliance with his demands, he lives like an epicure.—Cor. Baltimore Sun.

How to Help the Poor.

It is sad to have to acknowledge that the majority of the schemes for bettering the condition of the working millions are worse than useless. They sometimes do actual harm. There is a way, however, that money can be spent advantageously for the benefit of the toilers. Cornelius Vanderbilt has appropriated a large sum of money to build a club house for the employes of the New York Central Railway company who work around New York. In this club the men are furnished refreshments and opportunities for innocent recreation at a trifling expense. The aim is to give the employes, off duty, a good time in a club of their own, in which there shall be no temptations to dissipation. The Prince of Wales recently laid the foundation of a people's palace in East London. When completed, it will provide a means of recreation for hundreds of thousands of workmen, and also a technical and trade school for the education of boys. It will contain a summer and winter garden, concert halls, swimming baths, gymnasium, reading rooms and a library.—Demorest's Monthly.

Delicate Leading.

He was naturally bashful, and in her company was as dumb as an oyster. She understood him, and one evening asked plainly what made him so silent whenever he called on her.

"I—er—I don't know," he stammered. I always ah—have something to say before you come in but I can't get it out."

"Indeed!" she said encouragingly.

"Yes. I am like a bottle that is corked up tight."

"Very tight, Mr. Smith?"

"Yes indeed, very."

"Well that isn't so bad as you think. There is one good thing about it."

"What is it, pray?"

"Why, you know, the tighter a bottle is corked the more forcibly it pops."

He grasped the situation at once and now she doesn't care whether he talks or not. She is content to do it all herself.—Merchant Traveler.

Mr. Greeley's Bad Chirography.

Horace Greeley used to write a miserable scrawl. One day he sent the following to the Iowa Press association: "I have waited till longer waiting would seem discourteous, and now decide that I cannot attend your press meeting next June, as I would do. I find so many cares and duties pressing on me that, with the weight of years, I feel obliged to decline any invitation that takes me over a day's journey from home." Out of this the recipients, in consultation assembled, made: "I have wondered all along whether any squirt had denied the scandal about the president meeting Jane in the woods on Saturday. I have hominy, carrots and R. R. ties more than I could move with eight steer. If eels are blighted dig them early. Any insinuation that brick ovens are dangerous to hams gives me the horrors."—Camden Post.

An Old Fashioned Beverage.

"I wish you'd make me an old fashioned cup of coffee," he said as he sat down in a Detroit restaurant the other day.

"I will, sir. Want it after the fashion of about thirty years ago, I suppose?"

"Yes."

In a few minutes a cup was placed before him and he surveyed it, sniffed at it and turned up his nose and asked:

"What do you call it?"

"An old fashioned cup of coffee, sir, such as our mothers used to make. I got some Rio, burned it on the shovel, pounded it in a rag, and it is sweetened with molasses and fixed with skimmed milk. Those good old times are gone, sir, but the good old fashioned coffee can be made yet."—Detroit Free Press.

KEEPSAKES.

Each lover has a keepsake
For the memory of his love;
One has a note or a ribbon,
And one a curl or a glove.

But I am rich in keepsakes,
Three notes I treasure apart.
There are two, accepting my presents,
And one, declining my heart.
—Macmillan's Magazine.

IF,—BUT.

If I were a wee, wee sprite,
Of all my pastimes rare
'Twould be my chief delight
To nestle in thy soft hair.

If I were a white, white rose,
How envied would be my rest,
Lulled to a sweet repose
On thy gently cradling breast.

Being neither rose nor elf,
I'll cease my poetical bray,
And content my prosaic self
To rest in some usual way.
—Trinity Tablet.

TURN AND TURN ABOUT.

The old man he carried the hod,
His son he got rich in molasses;
The grandson a scholar he grew,
And took the first place in his classes.
A statesman, he rose to high rank,
And he left a great name and much riches.
His son took to dealing in stocks
And lost everything but his pantaloons.
And thus goes the old whirligig—
The son of this illigant gold 'un
Spent his money in bumming around—
Now he carries the hod like the old 'un.
—New York Journal.

Burdettes.

A young man came into this city from a few miles abroad last week, and having sold his wood and put up his horses, set forth to shop. Something in the window of a ladies' furnishing store caught his eye and he went in. The crowd of women frightened him, and when the young lady behind the counter asked him what he wanted, he wanted to die, but he didn't say so. He managed to say, with painful effort, that he wanted "one o' them wire rat traps in the winder, and if you please, ma'am, would you show me how to set it?" The police carried the man away in an ambulance, but the girl behind the counter died.

CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR.

A Most High and Mighty Deficit, hurrying down the busy railway track, met the Worthy Passed Dividend streaking along in the opposite direction. "Where to?" asked the High and Mighty. "Two off," meekly replied the Dividend. "I am looking for a hole in which I may hibernate until the robbers nest again." "Well," replied the Deficit, "there's the one I just crawled out of, but that is too big for you. You'll find a smaller one further down in the Bank. A dust I am hastening to a meeting of the directors." "I give you joy," said the Dividend, still trying to get passed; "I thought perhaps you were going to a meeting of the Creditors." "Nay, not so; this road is not run by the creditors; it is run like the government, by the owner." "What owner?" simply asked the Dividend. "Forowner," said the Deficit with a mocking laugh, and he was gone. No, he was not: it was the Dividend that was gone. The Deficit had come to stay.

IT MULTIPLIES FOUR DIAMETERS.

An instrument called the "quadruplexoscope" is now used to illustrate lectures on travels. It is not a new instrument at all. We have often heard it used by travelers in telling about their adventures, but it is a new thing to make pictures with it.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Not Religious Just Then.

They tell a story on a local newspaper man that illustrates his presence of mind even under the most trying circumstances. He was awakened in a hotel one night by the cry of "Fire!" and in one spring and two movements was out of bed and in the hall, which was filled with smoke. Just ahead of him was a flying figure clad in white, like himself, and running at a 2:10 clip. A turn in the long hall and two steps leading to a higher level brought the figure up, or rather down, and the same cause precipitated the newspaper man against her. "Let's pray," cried the affrighted woman as she clasped him by the arm. "No, let's run," was his reply, and, putting her once more in the right direction, the lady was soon far ahead, though her rescuer got out in plenty of time. The two never saw each other again.—Buffalo Courier.

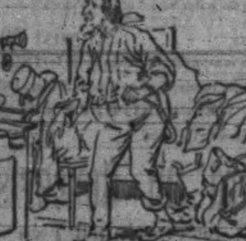
Tid Bit Gems.

Darwin must have had the toboggan slide in mind when he wrote "The Descent of Man."

"Pa," said little Johnny McSwilligan, "here's a piece in the paper about 'Parasites.' What are they?" "Paris-ites, my boy, are people who live in Paris. I think you ought to know that, and you in the Third Reader."

In a restaurant.—A customer was complaining of the amount of his bill. "But you don't consider, remonstrated the proprietor, "how much all these mirrors and this gilding have cost me." "Well, I didn't order them—the waiter can take them away."

His First Hotel Experience.



Voice from speaking tube—What do you want?

Granger from Jersey—None of yer gol darned business what I want! I dunno who you be, but if yer can't 'tend yer own affairs I'll hev yer put out o' that air room. I will, by gravy!—Judge.

She Made a Mistake.

They had come over from New York to Philadelphia on a short trip, and had arrived at the hotel in the night. The next morning she was sitting at the window looking out.

"What's going on?" asked her husband.

"Why, George," she said innocently, "it's the funniest funeral procession I ever saw. Everybody walking along so slow, and not a carriage or a hearse in sight anywhere. Just look!"

He stepped to the window.

"Pshaw!" he said, "that's no funeral procession. It's Philadelphia business men going to work."—Washington Critic.

She Thought He Rang the Bell.

First Omaha Girl—Oh, dearie, I really believe Mr. Fitzwestie's last poem was about you; now, wasn't it?

Second Omaha Girl—Yes, the brute.

"Why, what on earth ails you?"

"It's a perfect insult."

"Insult?"

"Yes, insult. The idea of his using such an expression as 'chestnut hair,' just as if I bought it at a second-hand wig store."—Omaha World.

A Superfluous Question.

A chunk of a boy asked Ticket Seller Ayres for a half rate ticket to Cheshire the other day. "How old are you?" asked the ticket seller. "Ten years old," said the boy. "When were you born?" asked Mr. Ayres. "Ten years ago," said the young Yankee. He got his half fare ticket.—New York Sun.

Hope She'll Find Him.

A Washington woman bid on and secured a dead letter package, and found therein a pair of jean trousers. She is now looking around for a man to put in them.—Judge.

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Begs to inform patrons and public generally that he is still to be found on the old stand, Yates Street, and hopes, by strict attention to business, to receive a share of their patronage. My name will appear on all trucks and drays. All orders left at Baker and Sons, Yates Street, or the Fashion Stables, Fort Street, will receive prompt attention. Aug 2-1mo

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Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher. Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

Notices.

Notice.

MR. GUSTAV LEISER HAS BEEN Admitted as a partner in the business of a Dry Goods Merchant, now carried on by Moses Lenz upon Government Street and the concern will henceforth be known as "LENZ & LEISER."

Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886
MOSES LENZ.
GUSTAV LEISER.
Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

Estate of William Lohse, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE will of the deceased, dated 31st. December, 1886, has been admitted to probate by the Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment, as the case may be, at the office of Mr. Theodore Davie, corner Bastion and Langley Streets, where a copy of the will can be inspected.

Dated May 21st, 1887.
THOMAS GEIGER,
CHAS. J. PHILLIPS, } Executors.
my23 THEODORE DAVIE.

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,
(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT No. 15.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of three cents per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 15th day of August, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.

By order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Dated 28th July, 1887. aug1-D&Wtd

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.
Removal of Thistles.

Owners and Agents of property within the City limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots, otherwise the provisions of the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 14th July, 1887. july15

NOTICE.

From and after this date FINLAYSON BRIDGE will be CLOSED FOR TRAFFIC until repairs are completed.

By order.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.
City Hall, August 2, 1887. au2 tf

Victoria Water Works
Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

In YATES STREET WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In JAMES' BAY WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In JOHNSON STREET WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Water Works shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside of the limits of the said city. Consumers of water of the said Water Works will please note the above and govern themselves accordingly, as the Bylaw will be strictly enforced.

THOMAS RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

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Oceanic Steamship Company.

Carrying United States, Hawaiian and Colonial Mails.

WILL LEAVE the Company's Wharf, Folsom Street, San Francisco, California, for

AUCKLAND AND SYDNEY,
WITHOUT CHANGE,
THE MAGNIFICENT 3000 TON
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327 Market Street, San Francisco,
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COMPANY'S STEAMERS sail for

Hongkong via Yokohama

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WILLIAMS, DIMOND & CO., Gen. Agents,
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Pamphlets and Testimonials can be obtained from Druggists free.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50 (cures bed-wetting); Regular Pad, $2.50. Special Pad for Chronic Diseases $3.00.

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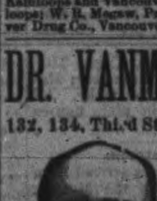

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After 15 years of labor and trial on this appliance, it is now offered to the [illegible] of work or [illegible] CURED RUPTURE [illegible]

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Railways.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo
RAILROAD.

TIME CARD NO. 4

To take effect at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 1st, 1887.

Going North. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	Going North. READ DOWN. No. 4 Passenger, Wed., Sat. and Sunday	STATIONS.	Going South. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	Going South. READ UP. No. 3 Passenger, Sat., Mon. and Mon.
De 8.00 A.M.	De 3.00 P.M.	VICTORIA	Ar 12.00	Ar 11.45
[illegible]	[illegible]	RUSSELLS	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	ESQUIMALT	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	GOLDSTREAM	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	COBBLE HILL	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	McPHERSON'S	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	KOKSILAH	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	DUNCAN'S	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	CHEMAINUS	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	NANAIMO	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ar 12.20	Ar 6.25	WELLINGTON	De 8.15	De 1.30

CHEAP RATES.

Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

Return tickets to all points for a single fare and a quarter, will be issued on Saturdays and Sundays only, good for return, until the following Monday inclusive.

No full fare return tickets for a single fare issued between Nanaimo and Wellington or other points distant over four miles where single fare is 25 cents.

R. DUNSMUIR, JOSEPH HUNTER,
President. General Supt.
H. K. PRIOR,
General Freight and Passenger Agent.
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Fare from Portland to Sacramento and San Francisco:—Limited First Class, $32; unlimited, $30; limited emigrant, $15.

R. KOEHLER, E. P. ROGERS,
Manager. Gen. Freight & Pass. Agent.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC
Navigation Co.
(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE NO. 7.
Taking effect June 1st, 1887.

Burrard Inlet Route.

VICTORIA TO
Vancouver and Moodyville,
Daily except Monday, at 1 o'clock.
Saturday, at 1 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria,
Daily except Monday, at 12:00 o'clock.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA
For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,
Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

Plumper Pass
Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria,
Monday at one p.m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Tuesday, at 4 a. m.; Thursday and Saturday at [illegible] o'clock.

For Plumper Pass,
Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Monday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Thursday and Saturday.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 12 minutes faster than Victoria time.

C. A. CARLETON, JOHN IRVING,
GEN. AGENT. MANAGER.
March 31, 1887.

Hudson's Bay Company.

The following Goods, ex "TITANIA," from London, are now on sale at Lowest Market Rates:

Bags, Blankets, Fire Bricks, Candles, Carpets, Guns, Gun-caps, Hessians, Mats, Matting, Paint, Rugs, Shot, Saws, Tin Plate, Provisions, Wines, Spirits and Vinegar.

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The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Monday, August 15, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.*

—The letter of "A Man Looking" will appear to-morrow.

—The appeal of the Walkem-Higgins case has been further adjourned.

—Samples of the rubber sole shooting boot now ready; all kinds made to order at GEO. H. MAYNARD'S. *

—An interesting case is being tried to-day before a special jury. It is in progress as we go to press.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska, for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St. ‡

—Repairing all kinds of musical instruments, and pianos and organs, done by M. W. WAITT & Co. *

—Steitz Bros. are prepared to supply their celebrated ICE CREAM in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon. *

—BABY CARRIAGES, the cheapest and best in the city at SHORE & ANDERSON'S, Douglas street. *

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a *genuine* COCKTAIL go to the Pritchard House. *

—Mr. J. B. Gardner, of this city, and Miss Maggie Campbell, lately of California, were married at Christ Cathedral Saturday evening.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at FELL & Co's. *

GEO. H. MAYNARD of the CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE, Fort street, will move into the store now occupied by Shears & Page, Government street, on the 29th inst. *

—D. R. MUNRO, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—The CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE will keep open until 9 o'clock every evening until the 29th inst., when we will remove to Government street. All goods at cost to save trouble of moving. GEO. H. MAYNARD. *

—The Railway and Navigation Guide will be under the exclusive management of W. R. Menzies, who has purchased a half interest of the Guide Publishing Co. The settlement of all outstanding business will be done by him. *

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—Says an Ottawa dispatch of the 9th inst.: It is not yet fully decided whether the pending claim of the Canadian Pacific against the government in regard to the British Columbia sections of the railway will be submitted to arbitration or not. If the matter goes to arbitration C. C. Gregory, an experienced Nova Scotia railway man, will act on behalf of the government.

LYING AT REST.

Funeral of the late Hon. Allen Francis on Sunday.

The funeral of the late Hon. Allen Francis, U.S. Consul at St. Thomas, Ont., and for many years a prominent and respected resident of Victoria, took place from the family residence Pandora street, yesterday and was attended by a large number of prominent people and citizens generally, many of whom were in vehicles, and followed the remains to their last resting place in Ross Bay cemetery. The pall-bearers were His Worship Mayor Fell, Hons. J. H. Turner and Jos. W. Trutch, Messrs. Roderick Finlayson, Boscowitz, Neufelder, Hibben, A. B. Gray, John Graham and Dennis Harris. The services were conducted in the Reformed Episcopal Church, Humboldt street, Bishop Cridge and the Rev. Dr. Reid officiating. The chief mourners were a couple of the deceased's daughters, his son-in-law Mr. Holmes from Portland, a grandson, Mr. J. H. Todd, Mr. Quinn, from St. Thomas and others. The casket, which was a composite one, was borne into the church by a dozen of young men. It was covered with floral offerings of all designs, sent by sympathetic friends as a last tribute to the memory of one they had learned to love and esteem.

Cheap Goods.

Talk is cheap but if you want bargains remember that the B. C. Stationery Co. continue to sell at as low prices as any house in British Columbia—of which *fact* we will convince any who favor us with a *call*. *

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Clarence: J M Young, San Diego; J L Huntoon, Hamilton, Ont; Capt A Hoyer, San Francisco, Cal; Miss R B Hine, Miss H A Baker, New York, N Y; Prof and Mrs Albert S Cook, Clarence Tingley, San Francisco, Cal; Elias Birdsall, Saul Birdsall, Los Angeles, Cal; Mr and Mrs Edmund Weston, Toronto; Rev Geo Wallace and family, Honolulu, S I.

At the Driard: E W Miller, Toronto; D E Brown, Vancouver; W W Cramp, Yarmouth, N S; J E Chipman, Halifax; J O Grahame and wife, Kamloops; John Wemen, Ohio; Amos Townsend, Cleveland; J S Robinson, Kewlin; C H Grosvenor, Athens; B L Johnson, Stockton, Cal; H E Clarke and wife, Toronto; E M Weil, Nashville; John Ross, Toronto; G C Roeding, J Martin, D B Wilson, R Ewing and wife, San Francisco, Robert Simpson, Montreal; A C Lavers, England; J P Fisher, Manchester; F P Shannon, Carbon, J Lyons, Clifton, L A Morgenstein, agent; Osbourn & Stockwell Co.

Nanaimo Relief.

The following amounts were collected by Mrs. Price, Parson's Bridge, for the Nanaimo sufferers: Henry Price, $10; R. Price, $10; Mrs. Mary Graham, $5.

Lost!

An account book at the late fire on Fort street. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to Thos. M. Fletcher, Yates street. *

Good Investments.

We have several FIRST CLASS BUSINESSES for sale, and those wishing to invest in Victoria should first call on us, PICKERING & Co., Fort street, box 634. *

Board.

Mrs. Peters has opened a first-class private boarding house with or without rooms up stairs in Moody's block, corner Yates and Broad streets. *

Out and In.

H. M. S. Cormorant left the dry dock this morning. The Caroline immediately after went in and will have her bottom thoroughly overhauled. The caisson worked satisfactorily.

Just Out.

I Haven't for a Long Time, (song.)
Dream of Summer Night, (song.)
Boys in Blue, (song.)
Jackets O' Blue, (sailor song.)
Swinging, (waltz.)
At Lombard's Music Store.

Runaway.

Two horses attached to Carter Bros. brewery wagon made things lively on Quadra street this morning. After running to the Work Estate the horses jumped into a ravine. Neither the horses or wagon received any damage, although they were piled in a heap in the ravine.

Fire! Fire!!

The undersigned beg to notify their customers and the public generally that they can be found on Fort Street, two doors above Blanchard, until the premises lately occupied by them are rebuilt, and are now ready to supply all kinds of confectionery at lowest prices.

* REDGRAVE & ELLA.

Picnic Saturday.

The picnic on Saturday at Beacon Hill, given by the St. Andrew's church Sabbath school, was a great success. A large number of children were present as well as their teachers, parents and others. They were driven to and from the school room in conveyances. A pleasant afternoon was spent.

Victoria House.

The undersigned having leased his store to Messrs. Shears & Page, must clear out the balance of his stock in the next few days. The trade is invited to inspect. It is respectfully requested that all accounts due shall be paid on or before the 15th of August.

* WILLIAM DENNY.

Wolf Hunting.

Messrs. O. Weiler, L. Benjiman, Wm. White and Jennings killed two silver grey wolves near Sooke Lake yesterday. They discovered a large band of wolves and besides killing two, wounded three or four more. The animals may be seen at Mr. White's saloon on Johnson street. The hunters report a large number of wolves in the Sooke mountains.

Resignation.

Officer J. J. Walsh, who has been one of the most efficient members of the Victoria police force for the past seven years, resigned to-day (Monday). Mr. Walsh has always been a most courteous and obliging officer and will be greatly missed by his brother officers and the public. Mr. Walsh intends to engage in the truck and dray business, and will no doubt succeed in his new departure.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the *fire* in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade, Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Coming to Victoria.

The following passengers arrived from San Francisco to-day on the Mexico: Mrs Fray & daughter, Captain A Hoyer, E A Weston & wife, Miss McFaull, W H Wells, D Hanold, G Wallace, wife and children, J S Huntoon, H E Clark and wife, Wm Boyle, G L Schilling, L C Wolff, J Morton, B W Anderson, F Tingley, J N Young, A S Cook and wife, L A Appleby, R Ewing and wife, A Gillies, E C Jones, W H Jacks, J Ross, G C Roeding, A C Lavers, Miss Hine, Major Hely and wife, P Birdsall, Rev E Birdsall, R W Simpson, J T Fisher, D Wilson, L McQuade, wife and son, Miss Baker.

Quick Transit.

Last night we had letters from England dated the 30th of July, just 15 days; but hereafter we may expect them one day earlier. The Atlantic express from Vancouver, for Montreal under the new arrangement will leave at 13 o'clock, 1 p. m. under the old system, and the Pacific express from Montreal will arrive at 13.30 (half past 1) o'clock instead of 12.20 as formerly. The Vancouver steamer will thus be one hour later in leaving for Victoria than formerly. We have not yet learned whether she will shorten up the running time, if not, her hour of arrival will be 8 o'clock instead of 7 as heretofore.

Seen and Unseen.

Dr. Bailey lectured last night at Harmony Hall, on the Seen and Unseen, to a fair sized audience. His argument, that a spirit life was the great actuating principle of the universe was clear and logical. Modern spiritualism was a science of the highest order and was forcing its way upon the scientific minds of the present age in such a way that it could not be resisted; and that while a science it was a religion, which when thoroughly understood and acted upon according to its teaching would produce a race far transcending any that had ever yet appeared upon the face of the earth, and would culminate in that which is generally known as the millennium. The lecturer leaves for St. Paul to-morrow morning.

Political.

It is reported that a numerously signed requisition will be presented to the Hon. T. B. Humphreys to-day asking him to become a candidate for the representation of the city against Hon. J. H. Turner. Whether the gentleman named will consent to run we are not in a position to state.

Showers of Meteors.

For several evenings past the heavens have been undergoing one of their periodical visits from meteoric bodies. Last night star-gazers might have counted hundreds of shooting stars or meteors crossing the heavens, principally in a vertical direction from northeast to southwest, seeming to issue from the vicinity of *Ursa Minor* and vanish towards the constellation *Corona*. This period of meteoric showers will continue until the 20th of this month.

The Cricket Match.

We were only able to announce the result of the first innings on Saturday evening, and unintentionally made it appear that Vancouver had won the match. In the second innings, the Vancouver wickets fell for 28 runs, and the Victoria players, with the loss of one wicket succeeded in defeating them by one run. The score stood: Vancouver, 135; Victoria, 136. The visiting team were entertained by the Victorians at the Park Hotel. A pleasant time was spent. A return match will shortly be played, we understand.

Shortening Time.

Thanks to the efforts of the Canadian Pacific Railway the journey from Victoria to Europe from and after to-day will be shortened by 20 hours, which will reduce the time occupied in traveling from Vancouver to Montreal to about 5 days. The gain in time will be made principally on the prairie section, although two hours of the saving is made between Donald and Vancouver. Victoria and Europe are now practically one day nearer each other, and the benefits arising out of the reduction in time will be equally felt and appreciated.

Hanlan's Defeat.

The news of Hanlan's defeat by Teemer in Toronto Bay last Saturday, was not altogether unexpected. That Hanlan has lost his "grip" goes without saying. For the years succeeding his victory at Philadelphia in 1876, Ned maintained his record against all comers. His staying powers after that began to wane. Neither is he now as young as he used to be. On a splurge he can make fast time yet, but his power of endurance is gone. He may now be considered as a good second rate man against Beach, Teemer and one or two others.

A False Alarm.

On Sunday a young lad, whose parents reside at the upper end of the harbor, procured a small boat and pulled out into the harbor for a frolic. In a short time he returned unobserved and left his boat without tying it up. He then jumped into another and pulled out with some companions. His parents finding the first boat floating about, naturally concluded the boy was drowned and began to search for his body with grappling irons. In the midst of their anxiety and labor, the youngster along with his mates pulled up where the searchers were at work, wondering what it all meant. He was trotted home in double quick time; but what occurred after reaching there none outside the family circle can tell.

Give Them a Chance.

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you, you may depend upon this for certain. *

Sad Drowning Accident.

A sad drowning accident occurred at North Saanich on Sunday, whereby Thos. Williams, the eldest son of Mr. W. H. Williams, farmer, lost his life. It appears that the lad, who was about 15 years of age, and unable to swim, was bathing in the Saanich Arm, his little sister watching him from the bank. While disporting himself, he took hold of a floating log and not noticing the ebb of the tide was soon carried beyond his depth. Realizing his position he called for assistance, and his little sister went for her parents. When they arrived the boy was far out in the arm, still however hanging to the log. The mother went after a neighbor's boat, while the agonized father unable to swim set to work to build a raft with which to reach his drowning son. But it was too late, the lad had now been hanging to the log for nearly an hour, and becoming totally exhausted slipped off his frail resting place and sunk before the eyes of his distracted father. Efforts have been made to recover the body, but so far without success. The circumstances surrounding the unfortunate accident were particularly distressing, and the heart broken parents will have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

Consignees.

Per Mexico from San Francisco: A B Gray & Co, W J Bowbotham & Co, A Lewis & Co, Anderson Bros, Angus & Gordon, B C Pkg Co, British American Pkg Co, C McK Smith, C Morley, C Robson, C W Rogers, Carne & Munsie, Dan Yen Tong, E B Marvin, E G Prior & Co, Ellis & Co, E Sutly, Fell & Co, F Norris, G W Henry, Gutman & Frank, H F Sieward, H. Saunders, Hong Lee, H A Lilley, H Short, Hall & Goepel, H M Royal Navy Yard, Hip Cheong, Hudson B Co, J Canning, J Sears, J B McPherson, J Graham, J Partridge, J E McDonald, J & A Clearihue, J Sehl, J Weiler, Kurtz & Co, Langley & Co, L G Wing & Bro, Loewen & Erb, Marvin & Tilton, McLachlan Bros, Mrs J B McPherson, M W Waitt & Co, Matthew R & T, N Portman, Nichols & Renouf, Neufelder & Ross, G Clark & Co, P McQuade, Phoenix Cannery, R B Smith, Bendey & Co, R V Winch, R T Maroney, R Keller, R W Fawcett, R Bothwick, R Lettice, R Baker & Son, Shore & Anderson, S J Pitts, Lue See Lung, Sing Lee, S Leiser, T Earle, T Shotbolt, T McNeeley, T N Hibben & Co, T Goewen, Vair & Brooks, W Templeton, Wing On, Wa Chong, W J Mable, Welch, R & Co, W Heathorn, W Tietjen, Wells, Fargo & Co, Yuen Lung, Northern Pacific Ex Co; in all 207.6.10 tons.

Per North Pacific to-day: Turner, B & Co, M R & T, J Weiler, S J Pitts, W Heathorn, Keiser, A Mayer & Co, Carnie & M, C Campbell & Co, E B Carmichael, J B Hock, Ellis & Co, F McNelly.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

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SENATOR SHERMAN

Reaches Victoria and Leaves Again for the Sound.

Senator John Sherman and the party reached this city last night from the mainland and the east and registered at the Driard, where they remained for the night, leaving for the Sound by this (Monday) morning's steamer. They will come back again on Wednesday afternoon and return *via* the Canadian Pacific the following morning. To THE TIMES representative last night the Senator said that this was his second visit to Victoria, but his first west through Canadian territory beyond Lake Superior. On the way west a stop was made at the Sudbury copper mines in which several of the Senator's personal friends were interested. This he regards as the most precious copper mine on the continent. The quantity is perfectly fabulous, whilst the quality is pronounced to be of a very high grade. The road bed of the C. P. R., north of Lake Superior, in Winnipeg, is the best he ever traveled on for a new road. The country traversed was a barren sterile one, good for nothing but lumbering and mining. With Winnipeg he was greatly surprised. He had heard much of its growth and go-ahead-itiveness, but was not prepared to witness so fine a city. The people were hospitable to a degree and proud of the city of less than a dozen years. Its main thoroughfare was a credit to it, as were also many of the prominent buildings. The country pierced by the railway west of Winnipeg to Calgary, was an extraordinary one. For days the traveler is passing over a vast area of land—an ocean in fact—which yet will be the home of thousands and produce millions of bushels of wheat for export to feed the hungry millions of Europe. In no other part of the world in which he has traveled did he observe so much grand wild yet beauteous scenery as he had observed from Morley to Vancouver, and he did not think that anywhere else in the 600 miles intervening between these two points, could such magnificent scenery be met with. He and his party were so pleased with the trip, the line and its officials, that they were going back over it again. This way they would see everything. He stated that the Canadian Pacific had every right to feel proud of their line, for it was a most admirable one in every particular. Considering its age, and the disadvantages it had to contend with, it was perfectly marvellous the success which had already crowned the efforts of the company.

The fame of Victoria's climate was now continental, if not world-wide. Certainly the weather here, as compared with that experienced by himself and his party lately in the east, was decidedly in Victoria's favor. This alone would attract tourists, who now were taking to the Pacific Coast instead of the Atlantic. So far as his name in connection with the presidency was concerned he had but received the endorsement of his own native state, which was but a small affair as compared with the larger interests to be considered in the National Convention to be held in Chicago.

Whilst in Winnipeg to a *Sun* reporter the Senator stated, in answer to the question regarding the feeling on Commercial Union in the United States, said that it was largely one of quiescence, and that the people of the Republic had not given much attention to it. His opinion was that if anything came of it, it would have to be through negotiations between England and the States, and he did not believe England would agree to Commercial Union between the two countries under any circumstances. Besides this, he felt that Quebec would oppose Commercial Union very vigorously. In any event, he did not regard the question as a live issue in American politics at present.

Black and Tan Cigars,

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. Harry Rhodes and wife returned from Vancouver last night.

Judge Harrison, of Clinton, is in the city. He arrived last night.

The Hon. Mr. Foster, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, will return to Ottawa early in September.

Sir Hector Langevin, Sir Adolphe Caron and the Hon. Mr. Pope are in Ottawa.

Mr. A. Morgenstein, the advance agent of the Osborne and Stockwell Company, is in the city and a guest at the Driard.

Lt.-Col. Holmes, who it is understood, will be commandant of "C" battery, is still in Ottawa.

Mr. D. E. Brown, traffic superintendent of the C. P. R. on the Pacific, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis McQuade and son returned from San Francisco to-day, all greatly improved in health.

It is reported that Mr. W. C. Van Horne is traveling with Sir Geo. Stephen, and that both will reach Victoria in a few days.

Mr. Robert Simpson, representing the Rolland Paper Co., Montreal, is in the city on his return from a trip to San Francisco.

Mr. Fred. Mills, of Guelph, Ont., who is doing the continent, is in the city on his way east over the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Mr. John Ross, of Illecillewaet, returned from San Francisco to-day. He is on his way to the mountains, going east to-night.

Mr. James Trow, M. P., the liberal whip for Ontario and his daughter, are on their way to this city. Mr. Trow is an extensive traveller and one of the most genial of the members in the Commons.

The Rev. Dr. Reid leaves for the mainland in the morning. At New Westminster he will induct the Rev. Mr. Haddon to the charge of one of the Episcopal congregations in that city, after which he will visit Richmond where he will remain for a few days rusticating with his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunn, of Vancouver, and son are at the Clarence. Mr. Dunn's energy and enterprise in a short time has secured for him one of the most extensive business connections in the province. He has two extensive hardware establishments in the terminal city in both of which he is driving a big trade.

Mr. Henry E. Clarke, M.P.P., for West Toronto, and Mrs. Clarke, were passengers by the Mexico this morning from San Francisco and leave for the east on Tuesday morning. They are well pleased with Victoria and its climate, but not so with that of San Francisco and California generally. Both are greatly improved in health since leaving the east.

Mr. W. J. Wilson, with his wife and child, of Spokane Falls, is in the city on his way to Toronto, his native city. He takes the Canadian national highway for the east. Mr. Wilson has been a very successful business man in Eastern Washington's city of the falls, where he acquired a large tract of land some years ago, which has increased in value from $280 to $10,000 per acre, the figure at which Mr. Wilson sold out for. He reports business generally in that section of the "Inland Empire" as brisk, and the country settling up rapidly.

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VANCOUVER NEWS.

Happenings at the Terminal City and in this Vicinity.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Considerable anxiety was felt by our citizens during the latter part of last week on account of the threatening aspect of the clearing fires on the Brighouse estate. For several days the city was enveloped in smoke and on Thursday it was necessary to call out the firemen to fight the flames. All danger is considered over at the present writing.

The heading "Smith and Angus vs. Greer," is becoming something of a chestnut. It is quite safe to say that nine-tenths of the people here do not understand the difference between the parties. Be that as it may, Greer has the sympathy of the majority of the people, probably because it is a man against a corporation, the weak against the strong; a man single-handed, endeavoring to retain his home, and a rich company endeavoring to take it away from him.

The war that is being waged against the social evil here receives the approbation of every right minded citizen. While our police are worthy of all praise for their agility in bringing the keepers and inmates of disorderly houses to justice, the impression is that if a few of the frequenters were ranged up in the Police Court it would have a good effect.

Several large brick blocks are in course of erection on Water and Cordova streets, and preparations are being made for one or two large buildings on Granville street, in fact, there is a building boom here at present.

One of our city papers was threatened with a libel suit the other day for making the rash assertion that a young gentleman here resembled in looks a prominent British politician.

The C. P. R. have shortened the time between Montreal and Vancouver by 20 hours. This will be a great convenience to the traveling public.

The electric light has now had a thorough test in this city and has given perfect satisfaction.

The S. S. Parthia is expected to arrive to-morrow with another cargo of tea. There is also, we understand, a number of passengers on board.

The Hastings' Sawmill,—which, for some time past has been at a stand still, —is again doing business on an extensive scale. The company pay nearly $5000 per month in wages.

Sir Geo. Stephen is expected to arrive here in the course of a week.

The Wilber Dramatic Co. have pitched their tent here, and will show for a week.

We are pleased to know that the mails will leave Vancouver for Victoria on Mondays per steamer "Rainbow," thus giving daily communication.

GOLDSTREAM HOTEL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I do not know when I enjoyed a day's recreation more than that spent from Saturday last till this morning at the Goldstream Hotel and surroundings. It it quiet, with excellent accommodation, good meals and superb weather.

VICTORIAN.

THE MAYOR.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I observe that the editor asks in the Sunday issue of the *Colonist*, "What is a Mayor?" and answers thus, "Presiding officer of the Council Board." While one of the Mayor's duties is to act as presiding officer, he is very much more, being the Chief Magistrate of the city and also chief officer.

MUNICIPAL.

MR. BELL'S GRAND DISCOVERY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Mr. Bell's letter in yesterday's *Colonist* compels me to give to the public one example of that gentleman's knowledge of hydrostatics. Mr. Bell, while examining the plans for the proposed reservoir, made a grand discovery. He stated that the pressure of the atmosphere on the surface of the water in the reservoir, when concentrated on the nozzle of a hose pipe, would be invaluable to the city in case of fire, and it cost your humble servant a great deal of trouble to convince that self-lauded responsible hydrostatic engineer that he had discovered a mare's nest. But that may be the principle that he proposes to adopt in supplying the city by gravitation after he has cut the main on Douglas street. Now, Mr. Bell, if I have given you away you cannot blame me. I certainly cannot believe that you will deny that you were the author of the above grand discovery, and you stick to it with your characteristic stubbornness. I will leave the public to judge as to whether a man that would advance such an idea can have any knowledge of even the rudiments of hydraulics.

ALEX. HENDRY.

Victoria, Aug. 15, 1887.

Tony Cigars.

In these days we hear much of woman's incompetency and inability to successfully cope with the stern lords of creation. Those who speak and write so glibly against woman know little of her nature or the aspirations which frequently guide her. Theodore Roosevelt, in a recent work, speaks enthusiastically of ranch-women. He tells of Mrs. Bishop Hiff Warren, who is worth $10,000,000, and made it on cattle with no assistance other than her mother-in-law. Another cattle queen, Mrs. Rogers, of Corpus Christi, Texas, a fearless rider, goes over the range as frequently as the foreman she employs. She started with a few cattle on a small scale, and has now amassed $1,000,000, and is every day enlarging her enterprises. A rich widow, a Mrs. Massey, of Colorado, went there as an agent of a life-insurance company, and married a man owning 150,000 head of cattle.

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DR. JENNINGS, V. P. Med. Asso., Can.	writes	I will recommend them to my patients.
DR. MARSDEN, Pres. Coll. Phy's and Surg., P.Q.	writes	Recommending him as a skilful, experienced and reliable practical optician.
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DR. G. STERLING RYERSON Toronto	writes	I believe you to be a thoroughly practical optician.
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DR. SULLIVAN, [illegible] Med. Asso. Canada	writes	I have pleasure in strongly recommending him as a [illegible]

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Dr. Barnardo has sailed for Canada with 180 carefully selected boys, half of whom are destined for the new farm at Birtle.

Wm. Allen, son of W. Cox Allen, Collector of Customs at Macleod, was drowned on the 9th while fording Old Man's river, two miles from Macleod. Dr. Kennedy had a narrow escape. Both horses were drowned.

A man named Charles Watson, aged 22, was killed in Montreal by a shot from a revolver in the hands of his brother Alonzo, aged 19.

The coroner's jury on the body of Dennis O'Connor, the butcher murdered in St. Ann's market, Montreal, brought in verdict that the deceased came to his death by a stab in the neck from a knife in the hands of Terence Carroll.

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NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 23rd July, 1887, an Assessment of One Cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said Company, payable forthwith, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 29th August, 1887, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 23rd day of September, 1887, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON,
Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., July 23, 1887. aug8 d 4t

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GEO. BYRNES,

AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

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FURNITURE.

I have been instructed by MRS. JAMES W. DOUGLAS to sell by auction at her residence, Michigan street, James Bay, all her Household Furniture, Drawing Room, Brussels Carpets, Lace and Rep Curtains, Drawing Room Suites, Large Plate Mirrors, Fender and Fire Irons, M. T. Table, Steel Engravings, Handsome Clock and Globe, What Not and Ornaments; Antimacassars.

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